

CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

AGENDA DATE: May 24, 2011

TO: Mayor and Councilmembers

FROM: City Clerk's Office, Administrative Services Department

SUBJECT: Interviews For City Advisory Groups

RECOMMENDATION:

That Council hold interviews of applicants to various City Advisory Groups.

DISCUSSION:

Interviews of applicants for various positions on City Advisory Groups are to be held on May 24, 2011, at 6:00 p.m. Applicants will also have the option to be interviewed on June 7, and June 14, 2011, at 4:00 p.m.

For the current vacancies, 30 individuals submitted 30 applications. A list of eligible applicants and pertinent information about the City Advisory Groups is attached to this report.

Applicants have been notified that to be considered for appointment they must be interviewed. Applicants have been requested to prepare a 2-3 minute verbal presentation in response to a set of questions specific to the group for which they are applying.

Appointments are scheduled to take place on June 28, 2011.

ATTACHMENT: List of Applicants

PREPARED BY: Cynthia M. Rodriguez, CMC, City Clerk Services Manager

SUBMITTED BY: Marcelo A. López, Assistant City Administrator/Administrative

Services Director

APPROVED BY: City Administrator's Office

ACCESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

- One vacancy.
- Term expires 12/31/2011.
- Representative of the Disability Community who is a resident of the City or full-time employees of an entity doing business within the City, during term of office. Appointee shall demonstrate an interest, experience, and commitment to issues pertaining to disability and access and who represent the public at large.
- Appointee may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th)	Notes
Disability Community (1)	Mary Ellen Bangs			
	Robert Burnham			

BUILDING AND FIRE CODE BOARD OF APPEALS

- One vacancy.
- Open Term
- Resident of the City or adjoining unincorporated areas of Santa Barbara County.
 Appointee shall demonstrate knowledge and expertise in specialty areas governed by the construction and fire codes of the City.
- Appointee may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th)	Notes
Resident of the City or County (1)	None			

CENTRAL COAST COMMISSION FOR SENIOR CITIZENS

- One vacancy.
- Term expires 6/30/2013.
- Resident of the City.
- Appointee may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th)	Notes
Resident of the City (1)	None			

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

- Two vacancies.
- One term expires 12/31/2013; and One term expires 12/31/2014.
- Residents or employees within the City but need not be qualified electors of the City. One representative from each:
 - Housing Interests

- Human Services Agencies
- Appointees may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th)	Notes
Housing Interests (1)	None			
Human Services Agency (1)	None			

COMMUNITY EVENTS & FESTIVALS COMMITTEE

- Two vacancies.
- Terms expire 12/31/2014.
- Residents of the City who represent the public at large (one of whom shall not represent any specific group).
- Appointees may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th)	Notes
Public at Large (2)	Rebekah Altman	12/19/2006 (4 years)		
	Jacqueline Kronberg			

CREEKS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

- Two vacancies.
- One term expires 12/31/2011; and One term expires 12/31/2014.
- Residents of the City or the County with experience in ocean use, business, environmental issues, and/or provide community at large representation.
- Appointees may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th)	Notes
Experience in ocean use,	Brandy Bartosh			City
business, or environmental issues, and/or represents the community at large (2)	Kirsten Castagnola			City
	Natasha Lohmus	6/30/2009 (2 years)		County
	Jeremy Lyter			City
	Stephen MacIntosh			City

DOWNTOWN PARKING COMMITTEE

- Two vacancies.
- Terms expire 12/31/2013.
- Residents of the City or the County of Santa Barbara who demonstrates an interest and knowledge of downtown parking issues.
- Appointees may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th)	Notes
Residents of the City or	David Beardon			County
the County (2)	Ruth Anne Bowe			City
	Krista Fritzen			City
	William E. Pinner III			City

FIRE AND POLICE PENSION COMMISSION

- Three vacancies.
- One term expires 12/31/2012 (Qualified Elector);
 One term expires 12/31/2013 (Active/Retired Police Officer); and
 One term expires12/31/2014 (Qualified Elector).
- One active or retired police officer who need not be a resident or qualified elector of the City; and Two qualified electors of the City who are not active firefighters or active police officers for the City of Santa Barbara and who may not hold any full-time paid office in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th)	Notes
Active/Retired Police Officer (1)	None			
Qualified Electors (2)	None			

HOUSING AUTHORITY COMMISSION

- One vacancy.
- Term expires 8/6/2015 (Appointment effective 8/7/2011).
- Resident of the City who represents the public at large.
- Appointee may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th)	Notes
Resident of the City who	Robert Burke			
represents the Public at Large (1)	Dale Fathe-Aazam			
	David K. Hughes	7/3/2007 (4 years)		

LIVING WAGE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

- Two vacancies.
- One term expires 6/30/2013 (Living Wage Advocacy Organization Nominee);
 One term expires 6/30/2015 (Owner/Manager of a Service Contractor).
- One representative from each:
 - Local Living Wage Advocacy Organization Nominee
 - Owner/manager of a service contractor subject to the City's Living Wage Ordinance.
- Appointees may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th)	Notes
Local Living Wage Advocacy Organization Nominee (1)	Anna M. Kokotovic, PhD			
Owner/Manager of a Service Contractor subject to the City's Living Wage Ordinance (1)	Allen Williams	7/11/2006, and 7/3/2007 (5 years)		

MEASURE P COMMITTEE

- Six vacancies.
- One term expires 12/31/2011;

Two terms expire 12/31/2012;

One term expires 12/31/2013; and

Two terms expire 12/31/2014.

• Two residents of the City; and

One representative each:

- Civil liberties advocate
- Criminal defense attorney
- Drug abuse, treatment & prevention counselor
- Medical Professional
- Appointees may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th)	Notes
Civil Liberties Advocate (1)	None			
Criminal Defense Attorney (1)	None			
Drug abuse, treatment & prevention counselor (1)	None			
Medical Professional (1)	None			
Residents of the City (2)	None			

PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

- One vacancy.
- Term expires 12/31/2011.
- Qualified elector of the City or a resident of the City and a citizen of the United States who is 16 years of age or older.
- Appointee may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th)	Notes
Qualified Elector (1)	Desmond O'Neill			
	Charles Trentacosti			

RENTAL HOUSING MEDIATION TASK FORCE

- Five vacancies.
- One term expires 12/31/2011 (Tenant);
 Two term expires 12/31/2012 (Homeowner/Landlord); and
 Two terms expire 12/31/2014 (Landlord/Tenant).
- One appointee must be a resident of the City, and four appointees may be residents of the City or the County.
 - One homeowner
 - Two landlords
 - Two tenants

Note: Non-resident members must be owners of residential rental property within the City limits or affiliated with organizations concerned with landlord-tenant issues within the City limits.

• Appointees may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

CATEGORY (Number of Vacancies)	APPLICANT	Incumbent Appt. Dates (Years Served)	Applicant's Preference (1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th)	Notes
Homeowner (1)	Leesa Beck			County
Landlords (2)	Chris Casebeer			City; Current Parks and Recreation Commissioner with term expiration date of 12/31/2013
	James B. Fox			County
Tenants (2)	David M. Brainard			City
	Parvaneh Givi			City
	Michael Petretta			County

SINGLE FAMILY DESIGN BOARD

- Two vacancies.
- Terms expire 6/30/2015
- Residents of Santa Barbara County:
 - One licensed architect; and
 - One licensed landscape architect.
- Appointees may not hold any full-time paid office or employment in City government.

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Licensed Architect (1)	Roderick Britton			
	Kirk B. Gradin			
	Fred L. Sweeney			
	Barry Winick			
Licensed Landscape Architect (1)	None			